Mr. Bland delivers a petition from William Austin, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be released from confinement; which was read and referred to Mr. Bland, Mr. Randall and Mr. Martin.

Mr. Gaither delivers a petition from Henry Leeke, a revolutionary soldier, praying relief; which was read

and referred to Mr. Gaither, Mr. Abram Jones and Mr. Owen.

Mr. Randall delivers a petition from Philemon Towson and Sebastian Graff, praying they may be authorised to sell or lease a house and lots in the city of Baltimore; which was read and referred to Mr. Randall, Mr. Cockey and Mr. Bland.

Mr. Stevens delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the valuation of real and personal property within this state;

which was read.

The bill to authorise Hannah A. Hayes, guardian of the heirs at law of Stephen Hayes, deceased, to convey certain lands therein mentioned lying in Cæcil county, was read the second time and passed.

Mr. Mossitt delivers a petition from James Campbell, of Cæcil county, praying that him and his family may be permitted to live in the gaol of said county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for the benefit of the people in Kent county called Quakers, was read the second time and passed.

The report in favour of Frederick Green was read the second time, and the resolution therein contained assented to.

The house adjourns until Monday morning 9 o'clock.

MONDAY, November 19, 1810.

HE house met. Present the same members as on Saturday. The proceedings of Saturday were read. Mr. Elijah Davis, a delegate returned for Harford county, appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government, and taking an oath to support the constitution of the United States, took his seat in the house.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from the treasurer of the eastern shore, enclosing an account of the receipts and expenditures of the eastern shore treasury for the year ending the 31st ultimo, also a list of balances due upon the books of the treasury, and the treasurer's account current with the state; which was read and referred to the committee of claims.

Mr. Cockey delivers a petition from John Logsdon, and others, of Frederick county, praying they may be compensated for damages sustained by the Baltimore and Reister's-town turnpike road running through their

lands; which was read and referred to Mr. Cockey, Mr. Schley and Mr. Swearingen.

Mr. Mackubin delivers a petition from Sarah Rimmer, of the city of Annapolis, praying that a sum of money may be levied on Anne-Arundel county for her support; which was read and referred to Mr. Mackubin, Mr. Marriott and Mr. Belt.

Mr. Bowles delivers a petition from Mountjoy Bayly, a revolutionary officer, praying for commutation or half

pay; which was read and referred to Mr. Bowles, Mr. Swearingen and Mr. Boyle.

Mr. Eccleston delivers a petition from Thomas Ennalls, late sheriff and collector of Dorchester county, praying further time to complete his collection; which was read and referred to Mr. Eccleston, Mr. Frazier and Mr. Stewart.

The bill for the relief of Oliver R. Howell, of the state of Delaware, was read the second time and passed. Mr. Jackson delivers a report of the trustees of Washington academy; which was read.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following message:

By the SENATE, November 19, 1810.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

THE senate having a sufficient number of members to form a house, are ready to proceed to the business of the session, and propose to go into the choice of a governor immediately, and have appointed Stephen Lowey and Robert Bowie, Esquires, to join such gentlemen as may be appointed by your house in the examination of the ballots. Euward Lloyd, Esquire, is put in nomination by the senate.

By order,

T. ROGERS, clk.

Which was read.

On motion by Mr. Marriott, the following message was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate by the clerk By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, November 19, 1810.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

YOUR message we have received; we are ready to proceed to the choice of a governor immediately, and have appointed Mr. Marriott and Mr. Herbert to join the members named by your house for the examination of the ballots. No other person is put in nomination by this house than the gentleman named in your message.

By order,

The house having qualified agreeably to the constitution and form of government, proceeded to the choice of a governor, and the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentlemen named to strike retired, and after sometime returned and reported, that Edward Lloyd, Esquire, was elected.

Whereupon, RESOLVED, That Edward Lloyd, Esquire, be, and he is hereby declared to be, Governor of the

State of Maryland.